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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Tambay et al.
Serial No.: 09/829,529
Filing Date: April 10, 2001
For: **Systems And Methods For Facilitating Transactions
In A Commodity Marketplace**
Examiner: To Be Assigned
Art Unit: 2161

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Request for Extension Of Time Under 37 C.F.R. 37 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a three month extension of time in which to file the Response To Notice To File Missing Parts (submitted herewith) in the above-captioned application. This extension of time will extend the period for reply to expire on October 15, 2001 (the Notice To File Missing Parts having been mailed May 15, 2001).

The enclosed check for \$920.00 is for the fee for this three month Extension of Time. Further, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required by this action, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 16-1435. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed for that purpose.

Date: 10/15/01

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